

		By heating.....	1,004 32
		By seeds, etc.....	14 00
			\$15,000 00
STATUS OF GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATION FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1890.			
To appropriation.....	\$15,000 00	Third district.....	1 85
Robinson, ch'k.....		Fourth district.....	5 85
wheat.....	14 20	Thirtieth dia.....	60 00
J. A. Myers, hay.....	32 25	Building.....	750 00
		Salaries.....	5,696 82
		Books and periodicals.....	101 81
		Expenses of board.....	552 32
		Printing and stationery.....	318 70
		Chemicals and apparatus.....	843 68
		Dairy apparatus.....	6 95
		Traveling exp.....	835 20
		Drainage imp., grounds, etc.....	624 80
		Freight, etc.....	159 92
		Postage and telegrams.....	113 35
		Sundries.....	95 73
		Experimental work.....	846 79
		Implemente & machines.....	263 44
		Insurance.....	75 00
		Cases, furniture, etc.....	556 41
		General sup.....	92 83
		Gas, plumbing and water.....	688 95
		Live stock.....	276 90
		Labor.....	1,712 16
Total.....	\$15,033 45	Total.....	\$15,033 45
STATUS OF GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATION FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1891.			
Appropriation.....	\$15,000 00	Building.....	750 00
Chick, J. A. M.....	25 24	Salaries.....	7,690 00
Rental creamery outfit.....	95 67	Books, periodicals.....	167 98
		Expenses of board.....	1,000 91
		Stationary.....	121 03
		Chemicals.....	123 11
		Traveling exp.....	807 56
		Improvement of grounds.....	23 37
		Freight.....	368 44
		Postage and telegrams.....	71 60
		Experimental work.....	683 96
		Office and library furniture.....	267 91
		Improvement and machinery.....	97 58
		General supplies.....	131 04
		Heating.....	132 20
		Seeds, trees, etc.....	134 63
		Labor, including janitor.....	1,194 81
		Apparatus.....	76 40
		Feed stuff.....	71 35
		Photographic supplies.....	156 91
		Institute work.....	371 01
		Printing and illustrations.....	531 05
	\$15,119 91		\$15,119 91

Here we have returns for the three years of 1889, 1890 and 1891. Note the charge for salaries and labor, how they have advanced from \$4,784 in 1889 to \$5,844 in 1891, and how the charges for experimental work have declined from \$1,980 31 in 1889 to \$983 96 in 1891.

HOW THE REGENTS FARED.

The experimental building is a small structure, yet you will note it cost \$2,511 07 for heat, gas and water in 1889. In 1890, for gas, water and plumbing, \$688 36. Nothing in 1891 for gas or water, and \$132 only for heating, salaries going up, experimental work going down until out of \$15,000 appropriated for this work only \$683 96 is spent for the work in 1891. What becomes of the balance? Director Myer claims to have bought 1,648 fruit trees and paid \$7,500 for them. They must have been good ones, costing \$4.53 each. All done for the good of the dear farmers of the state. And did this director go out into the farming districts and select the best farmers for this experiment? On pages 33-40 of "bulletins" you will find a list of the kinds and to whom sent as follows:

Ferry Hays E. A. Bennett Dr. Brown 437. 425. 785.

All members of the board of regents and men known to the history of West Virginia. E. A. Bennett reports that he planted his share on a hill farm overlooking the flourishing city of Huntington, but forgot to say, as I am told, belonging to his wife. He also says he will be able in a few years to make a report, but for the present can only report progress. Mr. Hays claims his share is doing well. Dr. Brown don't even say thank you. This is the way our worthy regents have of benefiting the farmers. Dr. Brown also on page 219 of the bulletin, received an assortment of roses and posies together with a fine line of ornamental trees of all kinds, just enough to merely decorate his private grounds, all for the benefit of the "dear farmer."

LIBRARIES FOR FARMERS.

I find on page 11 of the same bulletin the following:

Ordered, that \$2,000 be expended for the purchase of thirteen practical libraries of Agriculture, Horticulture and Veterinary to be placed one in each senatorial district of the state, that the library purchased for each senatorial district be placed in the custody of the Regent of each district to be by him kept for the use of the farmers.

In accordance with these orders I herewith submit a list of books selected with great care bearing upon the subjects designated amounting to about \$133 85 each, the amount of the \$2,000 belonging to each of the senatorial districts, as it is evidently intended that the books should be delivered free of charge.

Should this list not be entirely satisfactory please substitute other books of equal value (in total) to those stricken out of the list.

JOHN A. MYERS, Director.

CHANGED HIS FOR MEDICAL BOOKS.

You will notice that thirteen libraries were bought, costing \$153 each, amounting to \$2,035, and placed in the hands of thirteen regents and under their control, for the benefit of the farmers. I have asked at every meeting in almost every district, and have not found one farmer that ever consulted one or knew of their existence.

I also learned, under the last instruction one regent changed his books into a medical library for the benefit of the farmers of the state.

One regent, D.C. Callahan, of Charleston, returned the whole lot, saying he did not approve of this way of spending public money. He has since resigned, disgusted, I am told.

A CHRONIC OFFICE-SEEKER.

This experimental station has two acres for farming purposes and two men, and an agriculturist, at \$1,400 per year, to keep these two men at work. When they wanted to appoint an agriculturist—you know what this means, a man learned in agriculture, one that should by intelligence and experience lead the farmers—did they go among the successful farmers and select the best? No; but they drew on the board of regents, and whom do you think they employed? Colonel Dan Johnson, a man who has been a standing candidate for Congress for years, and talked, not worked, himself into prominence. But Colonel Dan was equal to the emergency, and went to work and determined to settle the vexed question whether a single eye or the cutting of a potato would yield best. The experiment has been made, and Colonel Dan has come to make his report to the director general, another man learned in agriculture.

Well, General, I first tried the single eye; planted them so deep, so many inches apart, prepared the land with care, using just so much fertilizer; in fact, made an "orthodox" scientific report, and to quote the farmer "Col.," had a good yield.

ARTISTIC PAINTING.

"This year I tried the cuttings, and to be sure bought the best potatoes I could find, kept them carefully, and knew they were in good condition when

ready to plant, as they were all sprouted. I took my men down and personally took charge, having my men remove all the sprouts, and it made a bushel of potatoes and a bushel of sprouts. Now I was ready to plant, and I prepared the same land in the same way I had before, but strange to say I had no yield at all.

The director general spoke up, "There must be some scientific reason for this colonel, but we will find it sure." And there was; he had destroyed all of its growing properties. But you farmers of the state are entitled to the best, as you pay for it.

THE BUG DEPARTMENT.

They also have an "entomologist." This means a man learned in bugs. He is now in Germany studying the habit of German bugs for your benefit, and when he returns he will issue a learned bulletin on bugs and tell you in German the potato bugs have one more stripe on their backs than in America. But you are again entitled to this information as you are paying the bill.

REMARKABLE BOOK-KEEPING.

The book-keeping of the university proper I am unable to do much with, as it is made out in items like this: E. M. Turner, music, advertising, regents, prizes, \$415 00; John L. Harvey, regents' expenses, \$590 16; E. B. Franzheim, architect, \$217 75. This last item certainly cannot be for the plan of a large square building, such as was lately put up. A school with a chair of surveying and civil engineering and professors in higher mathematics would not go to Wheeling for a plan and drawing of so plain a building.

THE COST OF IT.

But to sum the whole institution up, a greater humbug does not exist. It takes about \$55,000 annually to run this college alone, and \$15,000 to pay for the experimental station. With an average of about two hundred students, and a large proportion of them in the preparatory department, divide it up and it will be found it takes over \$250 for each scholar per annum. The state would make money to send them all to Yale and pay their expenses.

Gentlemen, you have a remedy. If you live in a Democratic county and must send Democratic members to the Legislature do not vote for one of them until he has pledged himself to vote for a non-partisan investigation by a committee composed of an equal number of Democrats and Republicans. If you will elect Republicans I promise you a careful examination. Just give us the books and we will give you the figures. In other words, "you press the button, and we'll do the rest."

MOUNDSVILLE, October 5.

WEST VIRGINIA PENSIONS.

Old Soldiers and their Descendants Who are Receiving their Just Dues.

Special Dispatch to the Intelligence.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 2.—The following pensions have been granted to West Virginians: Original—Thos. E. Coffman, Edward Williams. Additional—Wm. H. Lammons, Chas. E. Primm, Andrew J. Gun, Thos. E. Soumerville, Oliver P. Hays. Increase—Wm. N. Hart, Willis Noel, Peter Fowble. Re-issue—Peter F. Harnes. Original, widows, etc.—Isabelle Steel, Margaret McClelland, Louise Burdats. (Special act)—Martha A. Beehower, Eliza J. Adkins.

Original, James Garton, James J. Fittro. Additional, Seymour Norman, Helvin Vancamp, George W. Sams. Increase, Griffith R. Jones, William Frank. Original widows, etc., Isabelle Humphrey, Ionia Whittington, Abigail Delaney, America J. Meikle.

Original, John N. Dawson, Richard T. Paul. Additional, Eugene Calhoun, Thos. D. Bennett, Blasius Reister. Increase, James A. Ballard. Original widows, Margaret I. Taylor, Mary Minns, Martin Patry, father.

Original, Daniel L. Walker, Edward B. Creed, Salathiel Dennison. Additional, Fletcher B. Wilson. Increase, Stewart Walls. Reissue, Yonathless Pullin. Original widow, Martha A. Wheeler. Mexican widow, Melvina Goble.

Additional, Joseph P. Morehouse, John J. Morris, Joseph Hilton, William Kirby, James M. Roberts, John Fleming, Henry C. Jones. Increase, John Mort, Charles White, Nimrod Hill, John B. Kelley. Original widows, Margaret Atwell, Julian Wolverton. Minors of Joseph F. Hagar, minors of George W. Hedrick.

Original, Jno. Hesson, Jas. C. White, Theodore Clovis, Moses B. Hall, Valentine Frank, David B. Hogue, Gottlieb Schultz, Henry Hilderband. Additional, James C. McDean. Suppl., Linden Batten. Increase, Oliver Bradley, William N. Brand. Re-issue, Jacob McCormick. Original Widows, etc., Susanah Hovatter.

Original, John L. Hawkins, Stephen Stiles, Alexander Huff, William H. Stouffer, William T. Justice. Additional, George Marinar, James N. David, William Madden, Augustus Harless. Increase, Christopher Sisk. Original widow, etc., Thomas Wise, father.

MOUNDSVILLE, October 5.

Monetary Congress.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 2.—Secretary J. W. Foster received a cable message from Minister Lincoln as follows: "International monetary congress reply may be expected Monday." It is explained that this refers to the time and place of meeting of the conference, and further that those points are practically settled pending the acquiescence of the British delegates.

From a remark made to-day by Secretary Foster, and other circumstances, it is believed arrangements are being made for the assembling of the conference in London November 20.

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PUBLIC SALE of Lots at Moundsville, October 5.

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HAVE you visited Moundsville? Do you know it as it is? You may have visited the old town some years ago. But unless you have been there in 1892 you do not know the city.

THE listing of every voter by the County Assessor is required by the new election law, not for the purpose of taxation, but to insure his right to vote. The Assessor may have omitted you. Find out if he has.

BUGS will banish roaches, bed bugs, etc., from your house forever. 25 cents.

Excursion train for Moundsville will leave the Baltimore & Ohio depot, Wednesday, October 5, at 9 o'clock a. m., stopping at Benwood. Tickets can be secured of Hugh Sterling, 1103 Main street, Wheeling.

L.S. Goodsell's dry goods the cheapest.

PUBLIC SALE of Lots at Moundsville, October 5.

FEW OF THEM SATURDAY.

The Appeals from the Reassessment Decrease in Number.

Apparently the filing of petitions for the corrections of erroneous assessments by the city revaluers has about ceased. Following is a list of all left with City Clerk Thoner on Saturday:

Fourth ward—No. 123 Seventeenth street, \$1,200; "would like it reduced to what it was last year."

Sixth ward—Martin Tunney, No. 2506 Market street; "assessed for ten feet of ground I do not own."

Joseph Becker, lot No. 94, Eoff addition; 1881, \$1,900; 1892, \$1,425; "although half the property has been sold."

Seventh ward—W. F. Zane, 1891, \$3,000; 1892, \$5,100; "a fair value would be about \$3,500."

Eighth ward—Mrs. Bartel's lot No. 9, square No. 10, Ritchie's addition; 1891, \$3,000; 1892, \$3,600; "excessive."

John Archibald's estate, part lot No. 2 La Grange; 1891, \$2,200; 1892, \$3,000; "unjust; increased too much."

John Archibald's estate, part lot No. 8 La Grange; 1892, \$50; 1892, \$200; "I think \$100 would be enough."

Frances Archibald, lot No. 4, Ritchie's addition; 1891, \$1,400; 1892, \$3,800; "the increase is too much."

Ida B. Archibald, lot No. 11, La Grange; 1891, \$1,400; 1892, \$2,100; "I think the assessment of 1891 is enough."

SIXTH SENATORIAL NOMINEE.

The Republicans Endorse the Candidate of the People's Party.

Special Dispatch to the Intelligence.

HUNTINGTON, W. VA., Oct. 2.—The Sixth senatorial district Republican convention met in the wigwam at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon and nominated Hon. Daniel H. Gates, of Putnam, as a candidate for state senator. Mr. Gates is also the nominee of the People's party, who nominated him at Milton a short time ago. He is a well known farmer and one of the most influential men in Putnam county. The new senatorial district committee is composed as follows: Putnam, E. C. Kennison; Cabell, J. K. Smith; Wayne, James A. Hughes.

British Financial Market.

LONDON, Oct. 2.—In the face of rising rates on the continent discount rates here remained nominally unchanged during the past week. At the beginning of the week the borrowings made as customary toward the end of a month had only a temporary hardening effect. The release of consol dividends during the coming week is likely to cheapen money for a time. But the absorption of gold for the Austro-Hungarian loan, through the Egyptian cotton crop and because of American demands, will soon restore present rates.

With occasional unsteadiness American railroad securities have been comparatively buoyant. The prevalent opinion here concerning Louisville's has discounted any possible further contraction of dividends. Atchison's continued to rise on Boston buying. No great stir is expected in the American market before the Presidential election.

His Hotel Bill Was Due.

New York, Oct. 2.—A. H. Conn, a stereotyper, was found dead to-day from asphyxiation in his room at Smith and McNells Hotel this city. Conn was employed on the World most of the time. Recently he has been out of employment, and it is believed committed suicide from despondency. Every crevice in the room where he was found dead, had been carefully stopped up. He was undressed. In his pockets were found letters of recommendation from newspapers in St. Louis and Nashville, Tenn. His hotel bill was due to-day.

Priest Ordained.

New York, Oct. 2.—Rev. Alexander Vance, of the Pittsburgh Diocese, was today ordained to the priesthood at St. Augustine Protestant Episcopal church by Bishop Whitehead, of Pittsburgh.

THE Shoe Factory will commence making shoes about January 1. Winter is not the time to build houses, but they can be commenced now and finished by January 1.

Too Much of a Risk.

It is not unusual for colds contracted in the fall to hang on all winter. In such cases catarrh or chronic bronchitis are almost sure to result. A fifty-cent bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will cure any cold. Can you afford to risk so much for so small an amount? This remedy is intended especially for bad colds and croup and can always be depended upon.

THE Moundsville Mining & Manufacturing Company will hold its second lot sale October 5.

\$125 will buy a Knabe Piano.

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MOUNDSVILLE is a sure winner.

One hundred dwellings will be needed before January 1, for the large number of persons who will remove to Moundsville.

For earache, toothache, sore throat, swollen neck, and the results of colds and inflammation, use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil—the great pain destroyer.

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Mr. J. G. Anderson
Of Scottsdale, Pa., a veteran of the 11th Penn. Vols., says, as a result of war service he

Suffered Every Minute

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and Hood's Pills did me more good than anything else put together. "All my disagreeable symptoms have gone." He says to get Hood's

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A very important feature of my business is our Muslin and Cambric Underwear for ladies. It is all made to order out of the best materials, and the workmanship is the very best.

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